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Supreme Events

The cast of Plessy Vs. Ferguson was a supreme event that would change segregation of railroad cars forever. The case of Plessy Vs. Ferguson made it all the way to the Supreme Court in a challenge or test the constitutionality of the separate car act. Homer Plessy was a black man with a lighter toned skin color and could often pass as a white man. He had usually sat in the whites only section of railroad cars but had once admitted to the conductor that he was black. The conductor had first asked him to move to the blacks section but refused and was then arrested. The Plessy Vs. Ferguson case was meaningful, well planed, and